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For: Flexible Processing Apparatus For Isolating And Purifying
Viruses, Soluble Proteins And Peptides From Plant Sources
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Applicant is a small entity. The application includes claims 1-93, but claims 1-39 were cancelled by the Preliminary Amendment submitted with the application.

Thus there are a total of 54 claims, 5 of which are independent.

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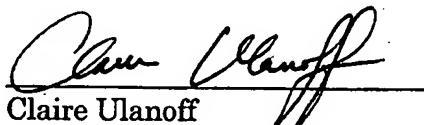
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